

Minutes of the Bethel Board of Education Curriculum Committee Meeting held on April 28, 2016, in Board of Education Conf. Room E.

Attendance: None

Administrative Attendance: C. Carver, K. Brooks, B. Watson

R. Renner, Chairman, called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM.

Board Members Present: Attendance Taken at 6:03 PM:

Present Board Members:

Mrs. Jennifer Ackerman

Mrs. Courtney Martin

Mrs. Robin Renner

Mr. Larry Craybas, Ex. Offico

Absent Board Members:

Mr. Scott Clayton

Mrs. Melanie O'Brien

Updated Attendance:

Mrs. Courtney Martin was updated to present at: 6:15 PM

1. BMS CC 6/7 Math Course

Dr. Brooks reviewed the need for the CC6/7 math course. Teachers Lauren Reid and Marie Jowdy reviewed the course details, needs for the course, course objectives, scope, impact on the students, scheduling and the summer curriculum work needs for 2016. It was the consensus of the committee to move the course to the Board for approval.

2. BMS Pilot Courses

Dr. Brooks informed the committee of the courses to be piloted at BMS. The following courses will be piloted:

Digital Music (Grades 7 & 8)

3D Art and Design (8th grade art elective)

Digital Art (7th grade art elective)

Design (Grade 6 all students)

ELA College & Career Readiness

3. Administrative Update

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Dr. Brooks spoke to the committee regarding the science CMT not aligning with the NGSS. Teachers will not be teaching to align with the CMT test. They will follow the NGSS. Therefore, with the teachers being focused on the NGSS, we may see a drop in CMT test scores.

4. Audience Participation

None.

5. Adjourn

Motion Passed: Move to adjourn at 6:57 PM passed with a motion by Mrs. Robin Renner and a second by Mrs. Courtney Martin.

Mrs. Jennifer Ackerman	Yes
Mr. Scott Clayton	Absent
Mrs. Courtney Martin	Yes
Mrs. Melanie O'Brien	Absent
Mrs. Robin Renner	Yes

Respectfully submitted,
Susan Pare
Board Recorder